GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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COST PRICE OF LPG AND KEROSENE
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have calculated the cost price of LPG and Kerosene;

(b) if so, whether the production cost as well as the expenditure being incurred on the maintenance, transportation, taxes and other administrative expenses have also bneen taken into consideration while calculating the cost;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the difference in average cost price of indigenous as well as the imported items?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (d):-Cost of any petroleum product can not be identified separately since all the products are produced jointly. The cost would include cost of crude oil, processing charges, marketing cost, filling charges, freight, distributors` commission, taxes other